



St Alban's C of E Academy Newsletter

Spring Term: Thursday 30th March 2023





Important Dates



- Friday 31st March- INSET Day (School closed to pupils)
- Monday 17th April- INSET Day (School closed to pupils)
- Tuesday 18th April School opens to pupils
- 21st April non uniform day for children who have achieved 100% attendance
- · 24th April- after school clubs re start
- · Monday 1st May- Bank holiday
- Friday 5th May Picnic for the King's coronation
- Monday 8th May- Bank holiday for the King's Coronation
- · Tuesday 9th- Friday 12th May KS2 SATs
- Thursday 25th May- Coffee Morning 9-10am
- Week beginning 5th June Year 4 multiplication tests
- · 5th June Y6 Residential
- Week beginning 12th June KS1 phonic screening check
- 12th June Tempest Photography



Dear Parents and Carers,

It was really lovely seeing you all in the church for our Easter services. The children were brilliant and it makes it especially special being able to hold our celebrations in St Alban's church. Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Easter worship.

We are saying a fond farewell to Mrs Uehlein, she has been with St Alban's for over 8 years. We wish her well and thank her for her dedication, we will certainly miss her!

Next term, we have lots more exciting events planned. Friday 5th May we will be inviting you into the school grounds to share a picnic with your children at the end of the day. This is to celebrate the King's coronation weekend. We would also like to invite children to celebrate this historic event by bringing in some poetry, artwork or poster to be displayed outside our library. It would be great if we could receive work after the Easter holidays- thank you.

I will also be looking at inviting parents into school to have a school meal with your child over the lunchtime. I will be sharing more information early next term, so please watch out for this on the next newsletter.

I was very excited in handing out the 100% attendance badges. I'm delighted that so many children have achieved 100% this term. Our overall attendance has improved greatly this term, from 90.7% in the Autumn term to 94.5% for this term. The children who have achieved this can have a non-uniform day on Friday 21st April to celebrate! This just leaves me to wish you all a very happy Easter holiday and I look forward to seeing you all next term.

Mrs Joanne Robinson



Children who have achieved 100% Attendance!



We're really proud of these children achieving 100% attendance for the Spring Term.

Reception: Esther, Ethan, Jenson and Malia,

Year 1: Toby, Ronnie, Olivia, Kael, Poppy and Carrie

Year 2: Tate, Jehan, Caden, Hayley, Rebecca, George, Oscar, Jack and

Lona

Year 3: Lenny, Jacob, Ava, Henrique, Harry, Agam and Daniel

Year 4: Taylor, Piper, Taha and Mya

Year 5: William, Mishal, Dolly, Faith, Gurnaksh, Georgia, David,

Gabriella, Ayman and Ishmeet

Year 6: Summer, Jessica, Navaeh, Alexis and Scarlett

Safeguarding: If you have any safeguarding concerns, you can contact MASH on: 01902 555392 (9am –5pm). Out of office hours contact the emergency duty team on 01902 552999 or in an emergency call 999. Alternatively, you can call Child Line on 0800 1111 or email them by visiting www.childline.org. However, please feel free to come and speak to either Mrs Robinson, Angela or Mrs Abbiss. We will always listen and try to help.





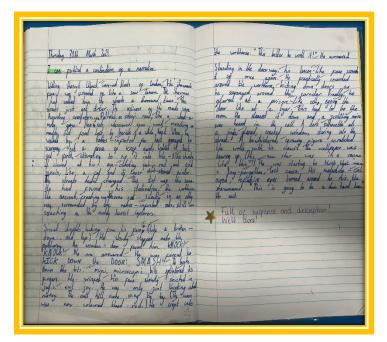
The children in nursery have been learning about the story 'Oliver's Fruit Salad' We have enjoyed making our own fruit salad in nursery.

Here are some of the fabulous events children have been involved in during the past 2 weeks!



KS1 had a fantastic afternoon exploring forestry art! They made some amazing patterns using natural materials.

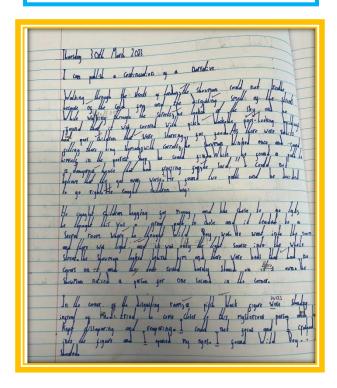




Children in Year 1-6 left school yesterday with a history homework project. The children were very excited to find out what their history topics will be next half term, and it would be lovely to see some fantastic learning brought into school after the Easter break. The projects the children have brought into school in the past have always been full of hard work and passion (a big thank you to parents and carers for their help too) so we cannot wait to see what the children bring in this time! Please take them to Mrs Abbiss during the first week back at school. Our history pupil leaders (Aaron and Alana) will then judge the fantastic efforts and prizes will be awarded to the chosen children.

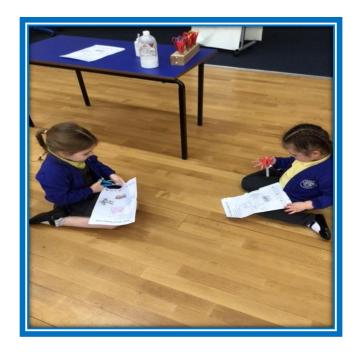


Year 5 have been continuing a chapter for their current book Wild Boy. Mrs Abbiss has been extremely impressed with the suspense they have created and the descriptive language used. Take a look at Ethan and Gabriela's hard work...



Nursery had great fun with our church governor exploring 'Messy Church' Lots of chocolate and fun with Easter activities. Thank you, Sam for organising this for us!









Finally, our Easter
Celebration in church. What
a wonderful way to end this
term. Thank you to everyone
who joined us, it was great to
see so many of you there!



